

Arizona Game and Fish Department

2008 Calendar Photo Contest Entry Form



• Each photographer is limited to submitting 12 entries. • Incomplete submissions will be disqualified. • Submission deadline is 5 p.m. (MST) July 6, 2007 (postmarks do not count).

• Mail entries to: Arizona Game and Fish Department, IEPB Photo Contest, 2221 W. Greenway Road, Phoenix, AZ 85023. • For more information, visit azgfd.gov or call (602) 789-3216.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____ E-mail _____

City/State/Zip _____

By submitting one or more entries, I agree to have my submitted photographs published in the Arizona Game and Fish Department 2008 calendar and used in promotional materials for that calendar.

Photographer's Signature (required)

Date

Entry	Subject/Location	Date Taken	Camera*	Film, Shutter Speed, F/Stop*
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* optional

AZGFD 2008 Calendar Photo Contest Rules

Eligibility

The contest is open to any photographer except employees of the Arizona Game and Fish Department and members of their immediate families (parents, spouses, children, or siblings living in the same household).

Theme

This year, our contest is about "wildlife being wild." Have you photographed a unique moment in the life of an animal? Have you captured a critter just being itself in its natural habitat? Share the image with us!

All animal photos must depict wildlife found in Arizona. Pets and livestock photos are not eligible.

Format for Submissions

Digital images: Digital images on disk must be accompanied by 8x10 inch prints on photo paper. Images must be: HORIZONTAL, 300 dpi, jpeg or tiff, 8 bit and at least 9x12 inches. Digital pictures taken with a 6-megapixel camera or larger are preferred. Manipulation of digital images must be limited to the kinds of manipulation that can be done with traditional film printing techniques, such as burning in and dodging, eliminating dust spots, etc. Images in which content has been altered will not be accepted.

Transparencies: 35 mm or larger in positive form (no negatives) are preferred. Transparencies must be accompanied by 8x10 inch prints on photo paper. Slide sheets are fine, but please do not use the small plastic sleeves intended to protect individual 35mm slides.

8x10 inch prints not accompanied by digital images on disk or transparencies will be disqualified.

Entry Procedure

1. Each contestant may submit 12 entries per person.
2. Each entry must be identified with the owner's full name and address typed or printed clearly on the back of each print and on each transparency mount and disk.
3. Send an entry form with your submission, with the following information (or use the entry form provided):
 - Name of photographer
 - Mailing address (good through December 2007)
 - Telephone number (good through December 2007)
 - E-mail address
 - Subject/location
 - Where and when taken
 - Camera model (optional)
 - Film type, shutter speed, f/stop (optional)
4. Do not include other materials with your submission (for example, subscription orders, draw applications, checks, correspondence or the like).
5. Receipt of entries will not be acknowledged unless a self-addressed, stamped postcard is included.
6. Incomplete submissions will be disqualified.

Return of Entries

Only original transparencies will be returned by first-class mail. No other materials will be returned.

Prizes

Twelve first-place, plus one "Best in Show" (for the cover photo) awards will be given. All winners will receive calendars, certificates of achievement and a small cash prize. Winning names will be posted on azgfd.gov.

Judging

Entries will be judged on the basis of creativity, photographic quality, and effectiveness in conveying the unique character of the subject. The judges' decisions are final.

Deadline

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Rights and Permissions

Photographers retain copyright to their submitted photographs. By submitting one or more entries, contestants agree to have their submitted photographs published in the Arizona Game and Fish Department 2008 calendar and used in promotional materials for that calendar.